

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Health Care Reform, Select
TIME & DATE: 9:00 AM, Monday, October 3, 2022
PLACE: E2.010
CHAIR: Rep. Sam Harless

The Select Committee on Health Care Reform will meet to hear invited testimony only over the following interim charges:

4. Study ways to improve outreach to families with children who are eligible for, but not enrolled in, Medicaid or CHIP, including children in rural areas.
5. Examine the potential impact of delayed care on the state's health care delivery system, health care costs, and patient health outcomes, as well as best practices for getting patients with foregone or delayed interventions back into the health care system. The study should consider patient delays in obtaining preventive and primary health services, such as well-child care, prenatal care, screenings for cancer and chronic disease, behavioral health, and immunizations, in addition to delays in seeking urgent care or care for chronic illness.

Electronic public comments will be available for:

Outreach to those eligible but not enrolled in Medicaid/CHIP
Effects of delayed care on healthcare systems, costs, and outcomes

For those persons who will be testifying, information for in-person witness registration, can be found here:

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